## DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

## BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

| Prices of food grains | *Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.* | *Current.* | | Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boiled rice (2nd sort) ... | 5·29 | 4·025 | | |
| Ragi ... ... | 11·35 | 8·25 | | |
| Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ... | Not available | | | |

*Agricultural operations.*—Weeding in ragi and paddy fields is going on.

The standing crops are fair but rain is wanted. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient.

## BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Weeding operations are going on in parts of Dodballapur, Channapatna and Closepet Sub-Taluk and transplantation of paddy in parts of Channapatna Taluk.

*Seeds sown.*—Kulthi in parts of Kankanhalli, Magadi and Devanhalli Taluks and castor in parts of Closepet Sub-Taluk.

*Standing crops.*—Ragi in parts of Hoskote, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Magadi, Channapatna, Anekal and Closepet Sub-Taluk; paddy in parts of Hoskote, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks; kulthi and pulses in Hoskote, Dodballapur and Channapatna Taluks; jola, navane, til and groundnuts in Dodballapur Taluk; sugar-cane in Dodballapur, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk; mulberry in parts of Closepet Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

*Damages to crops.*—Castor crop in Closepet Sub-Taluk is reported to be damaged by insects.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available, but the prices continue to be high. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in Bangalore, Hoskote, Anekal and Devanhalli and Closepet Sub-Taluk and influenza in Hoskote, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks. Rats are reported to be dying in Magadi Taluk.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Paddy in parts of the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

*Crops harvested and their outturn.*—Gidragi in parts of the Bagepalli Taluk and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; yield 8 to 12 annas.

*Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane, paddy, jola, gidragi, ragi, avare and togari are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Prices of food grains stationary. Labour sufficient for cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good, except for influenza in parts of the Kolar and Malur Taluks and small-pox in parts of the Kolar Taluk.

12. Cattle healthy, except for rinderpest in parts of the Bagepalli Taluk. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

## TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Horse gram in parts of Tumkur and Gubbi Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

*Crops harvested.*—Jola in parts of Tumkur Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas. Groundnut in parts of Maddagiri and Gubbi Taluks, yield 4 to annas. Sugar-cane in parts of Kunigal Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas.

*Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, castor, groundnut, huchellu, avare, togari, horse gram, savé, haraka, chillies and cotton are reported to be in fair condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Prospects of the season are fair. The recent rains have improved the situation to some extent. Report from Pavagada has not been received.

11. Public health is good in all parts of the district. Fever in parts of Koratagere Sub-Taluk is reported to be subsiding.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district. Water and fodder are available. In parts of Maddagiri Taluk, it is reported that some difficulty is being felt in this respect.

## MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

*Standing crops are* paddy, ragi, avare, togari, horse gram, green gram, tadagani, mulberry, sugar-cane, cotton, castor, coriander, ramtil, jola, chilly and Bengal gram, and they are reported to be in good condition, except in Periyapatna and Hanagode Hoblis of the Hunsur Taluk, where the togari crop is reported to have faded on account of some disease.

*Crops sown.*—Black and green grams in parts of Yedatore Taluk; Bengal gram in parts of Gundlupet Taluk and horse gram in parts of Heggaddevankote and Krishnarjpete Taluks.

*Crops harvested.*—Sugar-cane in parts of Nagamangala Taluk (yield 12 annas).

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Yedatore, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur and Malvalli Taluks.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in parts of Mysore, Hunsur, Krishnarajpete Taluks and chapperoga in parts of Hunsur Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

## HASSAN.

8 Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Horse gram in parts of Arsikere, Channarayapatna and Alur Sub-Taluks and green and black grams and avare in parts of Alur Sub-Taluk are being sown. Lands are being made ready for sowing Hingar crops in parts of Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks.

*Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi and sugar-cane in the Hassan, Arkalgud, Channarayapatna, Hole-Narsipur Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk; paddy and coffee in Manjarabad Taluk; avare, kulthi and togari in the Arkalgud, Hole-Narsipur, Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks and chillies and jola in parts of Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks are reported to be in good condition. The rainfall of the current week has considerably improved the condition of the standing crops.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good. More rainfall is needed in all the maidan areas to fill the tanks.

11. Public health is generally good except for plague in a few villages of Hassan, Channarayapatna Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy but for mettricattu and foot and mouth diseases in parts of Manjarabad Taluk. Water and fodder are available throughout the district except in parts of Arsikere Taluk, where some difficulty for fodder is still felt. But exported fodder is satisfying the needs. It is expected that the recent rains will improve the situation.

## SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Transplantation of paddy is going on in the Sagar Taluk.

*Seeds sown.*—Jola, navane, horse gram are being sown in the Channagiri Taluk.

*State of standing crops.*—Sugar-cane and paddy in all the taluks; ragi in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur and Sorab; jola in the taluks of Channagiri, Honnali and Shikarpur; avare and togari in the taluks of Channagiri and Honnali; savé and cotton in the taluk of Honnali and chillies in the Shikarpur Taluk are reported to be fairly in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Til and green gram in the Channagiri Taluk; green gram, black gram and coriander in the Honnali Taluk; ragi and navane in the Shikarpur Taluk and areca in some parts of Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks are being harvested.

10. The prospects of the season are fair. More rain is wanted in all the taluks.

11. Except for plague at Doddaghatta and Durvigere of Channagiri Taluk, Shiralkoppa of Shikarpur Taluk, Sammanavalli and Sorab Town of Sorab Taluk and at Bilwaderakoppa of Kumsi Sub-Taluk, the public health is reported to be good.

12. Except for rinderpest at Hosur of Shikarpur Taluk and foot and mouth disease in the Sorab Taluk, the cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are available in all the taluks.

## KADUR.

8. The markets were fairly supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

*Crops sown.*—Nil.

*Standing crops.*—Chikmagalur Taluk—Paddy, sugar-cane, til and jolam. Tarikere Taluk—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane and jolam. Kadur Taluk—Ragi, avare, arhar, castor, chillies, kulthi, sugar-cane and paddy. Koppa Taluk—Paddy, areca, coffee, pepper, sugar-cane and ragi. Mudgere Taluk—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, coffee and cardamom. Sringeri Jahgir—Areca and paddy.

The standing crops are reported to be in good condition, except for Koleroga to areca in parts of the Koppa Taluk and Sringeri Jahgir. It is reported that the castor crops have been affected with "ಕೊಂಚಲಿ ರೋಗ" in parts of the Tarikere Taluk.

*Crops harvested.*—Chikmagalur Taluk—Ragi and garlic, estimated yield 8 annas. Kadur Taluk—Jolam, estimated yield 8 annas. Koppa Taluk and Sringeri Jahgir—Areca.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Prices continue to be high. It is reported that rain is wanted in parts of the Kadur and Tarikere Taluks.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of the Chikmagalur Taluk, Chikmagalur Town, Kadur and Mudgere Taluks.

12. But for Dodroga and Metreroga in parts of the Koppa and Mudgere Taluks, respectively, cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder available. It is reported that cattle are taken from place to place in parts of the Kadur Taluk in search of fodder.

## CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Ragi, jola, paddy, sugar-cane, cotton, togari, avare, navane, sajje, savé, groundnut, horse gram, haraka, cotton and castor are reported to be reviving from their withering state on account of good rains during the week throughout the district.

*Seeds sown.*—Jola, horse gram, wheat and Bengal gram in parts of Jagalur Taluk.

*Crops harvested.*—Til in Jagalur Taluk (yield 8 annas) ; jola in Hosdurga (yield 6 to 8 annas) and groundnut in Haribar Sub-Taluk (yield 6 annas).

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour. Food stuffs are available, but the prices remain high as usual. Recent rains were very useful for the standing crops and also to the black cotton soil where the sowing operations will commence hereafter.

11. Public health is generally good, but for plague in the towns of Davangere, Jagalur and Haribar and also in some villages of Davangere Taluk and Haribar Sub-Taluk.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available. It is expected that the recent rains will considerably help the growth of fodder. Date and other forest leaves are still being used for fodder in Hosdurga Taluk.

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